



Lytton Community Meeting February 24th, 2022

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Responses to questions not answered during the meeting are below:

Safe Return

The Village continues to be under a state of emergency; "what's the emergency"? Why are we hazardous? "Hazards continue to require use of the emergency powers to regulate persons or property to protect the health, safety, or welfare of people or to limit damage to property." I think that Work safe BC has outlined how to protect self. Please show recent test results to validate this statement.

A State of Emergency is a circumstance in which government officials determine that there is a threat to the safety of the citizens of a community or region. During such a time, officials may implement procedures to protect or provide care for the affected population until the threat has diminished. It also allows for the community to continue to receive required funding for recovery in the disaster. To view the latest State of Local Emergency information, visit: <https://lytton.ca/emergency-information/>.

It sounds like I should not have my insurance company do debris removal? It would be easier if it was all done for everyone at the same standard.

Residents that have insurance policies will need to continue to work with their insurers to perform the work covered within their policies. The Village of Lytton continue to consult with the Insurance industry and their consultants and contractors about how best to proceed with the work in a coordinated approach.

Do both insured and uninsured need to complete the right of access forms for the

Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).

As my insurance is not covering the cost of the Heritage Branch Archaeological Assessment during clean-up of my property, can you confirm who will be paying, or how this cost will be covered?

Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).

Who is the Kumsheen Heritage Committee? Who sits on the committee?

Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).

I would like to have a written explanation on why I need to register with Kumsheen Heritage Committee and what is going to happen as a result of registration.

Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).



Clarification please James: Uninsured will have archeological assessment covered?
Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).

James, are you advocating for insured to have the archeological assessment covered as the uninsured?
Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).

Critical Infrastructure

How will the Village address the issue of getting railways to clean up wildfire fuel through the village?
Answered during the [Community Meeting](#)

How will the issue of wild fire fuel management be addressed both in and around the peripheral of the village? Will there be a bylaw addressing this for Lytton?
Answered during the [Community Meeting](#)

What is the plan to address this problem [fire safety] with the CPR and CNR rail lines through the Village?
Answered during the [Community Meeting](#)

What about fire guards around the peripheral of Lytton?
Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).

What about fuel management?
Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).

Hydro - Just to clarify, am I correct that uninsured will be connected at no charge, but insured will have to pay through their insurance? Also, this applies to residential? What about businesses, are they not included in this?
Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).

To Mary Ann: what can people do to restore power to homes/buildings that did non burn?
Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).

What support are in place to support the infrastructure repair (water, sewer, hydro) for TNRD residents?
Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).

Why is Lytton doing all these testing procedures when other fire affected communities have not?
Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).



Essential Services

What is the status of a VOL office and or public works station

Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).

We have heard this for months now: when will the Village office be here?

Answered during the the [Community Meeting](#).

Where will the village office be located?

Answered during the the [Community Meeting](#).

Financial

Terry Hawes can the info about the Charitable Donation Receipts be shared out on the website, or somehow directly contact the donors? Most of the residents and business owners on this zoom, most likely did not donate.

Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).

Other Questions

Lisa, please explain the position you are still posting for?

Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).

Is Fraser Basin Council still involved with plan development?

Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).

Has there been any thought given to Westside access from the train bridge on the Village side when the ferry will have to close due to high water?

Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).

Going back to the bylaw, there are restrictions to what we are able to do with trees etc around our houses to keep it more fire smart. Will the houses that are still there have to do the same with the existing vegetation around their houses?

Answered during the [Community Meeting](#).